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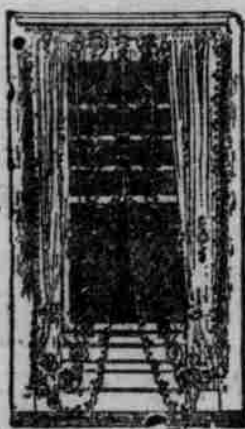
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## MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS OF NORWICH

Gilbert S. Raymond Addressed Open House Club on Interesting Subject—Many Disadvantages and the Remedy—Principal Tirrell to Speak Next Month.

A short talk by Gilbert S. Raymond upon Municipal Affairs of Norwich, into which he compressed much useful information in an interesting way, was the entertaining feature which followed the special club meeting of Open House Thursday evening at their rooms on Main street. After a short business meeting, which was adjourned for a week because of the small attendance, President N. P. Carey introduced Mr. Raymond as the speaker, also announcing that Principal Tirrell of the Academy would speak at the January meeting upon Athletic Sports.

### Fine Water Privileges.

Norwich said Mr. Raymond, was one of the five cities incorporated 125 years ago by the state legislature, and he proposed to speak of certain things which made it attractive, other things which were disadvantages, and to



GILBERT S. RAYMOND.

rest some remedies. On the side of advantages were, first, the admirable water privileges furnishing power. It was those that first attracted the settlers from Saybrook, where they had to get along with windmills for power to grind their grain. The recent extension of trolley lines had made this a great trolley center, in fact, the largest in eastern Connecticut, and this was a considerable factor in our favor. Norwich was a banking center as well, having seven strong financial institutions, the second largest savings bank in the state, and there were twenty-five millions on deposit in Norwich banks. A big farming country, behind Norwich contributed to the importance of its financial institutions, and since the failure of a Williamstown bank some years ago many people from that city now do their banking in Norwich. The Thames river, with a twelve foot channel, was another important asset, which would be of great use for the benefit of the city, largely because the ownership of the river banks

### YOUNG PEOPLE'S RALLY

AT SECOND CHURCH.  
Under Auspices and in Connection with the Norwich Christian Endeavor Union Annual Meeting.

Under the auspices of the Norwich Christian Endeavor union, a rally of young people of all organizations will be held Saturday afternoon and evening, December 11, in the vestry of the Second Congregational church in this city.

The union will hold its annual meeting at 2:30 p. m. President G. H. Ewing of Norwich Town will preside. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected and reports from the several societies comprising the union will be given.

The general programme, beginning at 4:30 p. m., to which all young people are welcome, includes a report by Miss Alice A. Bishop, delegate of the union to the Silver Bay conference; an address by the president, Rev. G. H. Ewing, whose topic is Sacred Union Service and a quiet hour conducted by Rev. W. T. Thayer.

The social hour, with the basket lunch, will be followed by two addresses. Rev. P. C. Wright will speak of the Christmas Task of Privilege, and Rev. Dr. L. L. West will speak the service with an address of special interest to all those whose faces are specially set Christward. The Alexander song books will be used. Adjournment will be at eight o'clock.

### CIVIL SERVICE

REFORM ASSOCIATION.  
Annual Meeting to Be Held at New London—President Hadley to Speak.

The annual meeting of the Connecticut Civil Service Reform association will be held at 6 p. m. on Monday, Dec. 20th, at the Mohican hotel, New London.

The annual dinner will follow at 7 p. m. in the assembly room of the hotel. Hon. George McAney, borough president-elect of Manhattan, will be the guest of honor and the principal speaker. Other speakers of fair fame will entertain and instruct, including President A. T. Hadley of Yale. The committee in charge includes Henry W. Farnam, William A. Allen, George S. Palmer, Henry A. Tirrell, Charles G. Morris.

The toastmaster will be Col. Norris G. Osborn of the New Haven Courier-Journal.

Billie Burke is to be given a new play next month, and it is "Mrs. Dot," the piece in which Marie Tempest met with such success in London. It is the work of W. Somerset Maugham.

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is a visitor in New Bedford this week. Leo B. Santangelo of Middletown, state inspector of barber shops, visited those in Taftville Thursday.

Daniel Shea of Merchants' avenue and his niece, Miss Annie Daley, are in Dorchester and Boston, Mass., for a brief visit.

Workmen on the new mill have finished getting out sand from Murty Shea's bank on Norwich avenue, and Mr. Shea is now having his shed moved.

Fred Martel, who has been in the employ of Edmund Proulx for several months, with his family and brother, Treffe Martel, leaves today to return to their former home in Drummondville, Canada.

### NORWICH TOWN

Missionary Society Hears Interesting Reports—Mrs. Sarah Holt, 93 Years Old—Young Men's Club Organized.

There was a good attendance at the Lathrop foreign missionary meeting, held Wednesday afternoon in the chapel of the First Congregational church. The service was led by Mrs. Walter Potter and Miss H. S. Park. The opening hymn, Hark the Voice of Jesus Calling, was followed by a responsive service and prayer.

A report of the annual meeting in Boston of the W. B. P. M. was given by Mrs. George R. Hyde. Miss Susan C. Hyde gave a summary of Rev. Mr. Eddy's address, Lovest Thou Me? That question was answered in a practical way. This was from the eastern Connecticut branch meeting in Plainfield. Reports were given from different mission stations.

A letter from Rev. Mr. Tracy of Norwich, now in Smyrna, Turkey, and a letter from Africa were read. Personal details of Mrs. Usher's experiences on her return to Turkey were given by her sister, Mrs. D. W. Avery. Mrs. George Stead read extracts from Life and Light. Miss Gertrude Manning read a letter from Mrs. Harriet Hyde Zumbro of India. An interesting meeting was closed with the Mizpah benediction.

King's Business Club Organized. A meeting was held in the First church chapel Wednesday evening for the purpose of forming an organization for young men. Philip B. Whaley presided. It was voted that any young man of suitable character and age in Norwich Town may join the club on vote of its members.

It is to be known as the King's Business club, with the following officers: Frank Durr, president; Henry Eccleston, vice president; Allison Rogers, secretary. The next meeting will be on Wednesday evening, December 15, at the home of Allison Rogers on Washington street. Six were present Wednesday evening: Frank Durr, Allison C. Rogers, James Crabtree, Henry Eccleston, Philip B. Whaley and George R. Hyde.

Ninety-three Years Old Today. Today (Friday) is the ninety-third birthday of Mrs. Sarah Holt of the New London turnpike. Her active, clear mind and bright eyes give the impression of a much younger person. Her birthday was on West Town street and she remembers and tells of old times here in Norwich Town. In summer she delights to work in the garden. She has pieced quilts for the Johnson home and for her friends and continues to work with her needle.

In the same house with Mrs. Holt, Mrs. John Stott lives. Mrs. Stott is in her eighty-seventh year.

Ten Degrees on Thursday Morning. The mercury registered ten above zero on Plain Hill early Thursday morning.

Briefs and Personals. Miss Mabel Brown of Franklin is visiting Miss Isabel Douglass of East Town street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Prothero were Sunday guests at Bellevue farm on the Taftville road.

Mr. and Mrs. George LePan of the Taftville road were visitors at Brewsters Neck on Sunday.

Miss Minnie Edmiston of McClellan avenue is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Alice Clement of Hartford.

Mrs. Robert Brown of Franklin was a Wednesday guest of Mrs. George Douglass of East Town street.

The electric bells at the Norwich Town station were repaired on Wednesday by an electrician from Palmer, Mass.

Fred Miller of Wightman avenue was in Taftville on Wednesday to attend the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. Frederic Miller.

Mrs. George LePan of the Taftville road, wife of Mrs. McNaught of Greenville recently went to attend a birthday celebration at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred LePan of Bridgeport.

Flatters Him. Mae Wood says that "if the seven cardinal sins could be corralled and have their pictures taken the composite would be Thomas C. Platt." Women are such flatterers!—Nashville American.

Will It Make Good? If the telephone combine really has control of the Western Union, will it not goad the long-factious doctrine that talk is cheap?—Omaha Bee.

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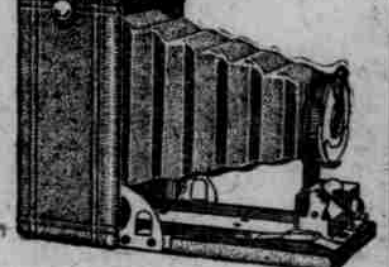
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